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FBI surveillance of Lawyers Guild told

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The FBI rummaged through trash and tapped telephones at the National Lawyers Guild in the 1940s and 1950s as part of its campaign against leftist dissidents, according to documents made public Thursday.

The National Emergency Civil Liberties Foundation made public documents obtained from the FBI in connection with a lawsuit filed by the Guild against the FBI, the CIA, and a number of present and past government officials.